Orpheum. VIRGINIA ARAGON,

ht for $8,000 It is quite
ral that it should resent an in-
ation that it was a special
s bargain-counter pick-up.

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is the boast of Englishmen
whoever touches a subject of
t Britain feels at once the hand
Great Britain. Will the time
come when America can boast
whoever mistreats or injures
American citizen shall feel in-
tly the power of the American
blic?

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r Richmond, Va., Feb. 22 was
rated as "a Washington and
Davis day." Isn't there a
t dissimilarity between these
es—a sort of an incongruity in
conjunction? The association
nds one of that jabberwocky
:

time has come," the walrus said,
talk of many things—
ips and shoes and sealing wax,
cabbages and kings."

ILLIAM WALDORF ASTOR, after
ng of the abuse lavished on
in the House of Commons by
Burns, the labor leader, must
had some misgivings as to the
liency of the Astorian depar-
from America. The Go hamite
crat quitted our shores because
hought he was not properly
eciated here. In so doing he
t appears, stepped out of the
g pan into the fire; and the
tate of that man is worse than

a bill creating the position o
instructress in physical culture
a disastrous one both for his r
tation abroad and his peac
home. Mrs. Herveys and
Cravens are not wanted in
School Department, and their c
pions will be looked upon with
picion by everyone intereste
the high moral tone of our ed
tional establishments.

WITHOUT entirely absolving
legislatures from the guilt of
ruption, it is reasonable to rep
detractors that the notion that
are more corrupt than they use
be is preposterously pessim
The reverse is true as all intelli
and observant students of the
ject are well aware. There n
was a time when official corrup
was so sure of detection and
ishment as in these days. P
tices in legislative bodies that
not condemned by public sentim
in the last generation have
placed under the ban by our
vanced morality.

THE female reporters were
lowed to spread themselves on
Mardi Gras ball in last Sund
papers and the result was a frui
crop of egotistical balderdash.
young woman, when she con
cended to abandon a descriptio
her own personality, was lef
moral in referring to the prese
last year, in the midst of the
styled exclusive set of San F
aisco's Four Hundred who fi